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12 August 2010

Attn: Ms. Dorethea Allen

Re: US Patent 7178099 (Serial number 09/767810) 1st maintenance fee due 13 August 2010 . Deposit Account 04-0750

Dear Ms Allen

We have now been advised by our client that <u>LARGE entity status applies</u> for this case; please see attached copy of the written assertion.

We, therefore, would like to request you to take the additional amount of \$ 490.00 from our deposit Account no 04-0750 for payment of the 1st maintenance fee due 13 August 2010.

We kindly ask you to update your records accordingly.

Very yours truly Dennemeyer & Co Stockport Payor Number: 287

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LETTER OF ASSERTION

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

We hereby declare that US Patent Number 7,178,099 had been assigned from BUSINESS OBJECTS AMERICAS to SAP AMERICA, INC. when BUSINESS OBJECTS AMERICAS merged with SAP AMERICA, INC. on July 1, 2009. Attached is a copy of the Certificate of Ownership and Merger issued by the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware. SAP AMERICA, INC. is a large entity according to the United States Patent and Trademark Office standard.

We request that the maintenance fee be paid at the large entity tariff.

Sincerely

SAP AMERICA, INC.

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Date:

Title: Senior Vice President & General Counsel

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